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APPLICANT : WICKHAM, Peter John Deacon  
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EXAMINER : Mitchell, Teena K.  
TITLE : RESPIRATORY APPARATUS WITH IMPROVED FLOW-  
FLATTENING DETECTION

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This Response to Office Action is filed in response to the Office Action dated May 14, 2003 and mailed on May 22, 2003. Applicant requests that the Examiner reconsider the application in light of the remarks contained herein.

**In the claims:**

The claims are shown in the Claims section beginning at page 2 of this amendment. No amendments are currently being requested.

**Remarks:**

A Remarks section appears on page 9 of this amendment.

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